## SPECIAL NOTICES.

THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDers of the Columbia Fire Insurance Company of the District of Columbia for the election of fifteen trustees, to serve for the ensuing year, will be held at the office of the company. No. 1419 G st. n.w., MONDAY, April 6, 1903. Polis open at 12 m.; close at 2 p.m.

Books for the transfer of stock will be closed from March 30 to April 6, both days inclusive.

LEM TOWERS, Jr., Secretary.

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7th st. s.w., to call for same. mb3-3t\* IMPORTANT NOTICE-ALL PERSONS HAVING pledges on which is due ONE YEAR'S interest or more are notified to call and pay same or said pledges will be sold at public auction Wednesday, March 25. H. K. FULTON, Pawnbroker, JOHN DOYLE CARMODY, Auctioneer. mh3-3t

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Colonial Fire Insurance Company of the District of Columbia will be held in the home office of the company, 1410 New York ave. n.w., Washington, D. C., SATURDAY, March 28, 1903, at 1 o'clock p.m. A Board of Trustees for the ensuing year will be elected, and such other business transacted as may properly come before the meeting. E. QUINCY SMITH, Secretary. fe25,mh5,16&27-4t

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THE ANNUAL MEETING OF THE STOCKHOLDers of the National Life Insurance Company of the United States of America, for the election of Directors of said company for the ensuing year, will be held in the office of the company, rooms 10-12 Corcoran building, 1430 F st. n.w., Washington, D. C., Tuesday, March 10, 1903, at 10 o'clock a.m., R. E. SACKETT, Secretary, fe28-9t

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## SPECIAL NOTICES.

A SPECIAL MEETING OF HIRAM LODGE, NO. 10, F. A. A. M., will be held on FRIDAY AFTERNOON, March 6, at 6:15 o'clock. Work, second degree. By order W. M. JAS. W. WRENN, Sec. 1t\* rain; light variable winds, mostly southerly.

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Superintendent of Insurance Bureau

to Confer With Commissioners. Commissioner Macfarland, who has supervision of the insurance department, and Mr. Thomas E. Drake, the superintendent of that branch of the District service, are to have a consultation late this afternoon or tomorrow with regard to Mr. Drake's contemplated resignation from his position. A few days ago the superintendent of insurance announced that unless the item of \$1,000 in the general deficiency bill to raise his salary from \$2,500 to \$3,500 a year should be adopted by Congress he would be compelled to relinquish the office he has held since the creation of the department, January 1, 1902. The item was not included in the deficiency bill as it finally passed the House and Senate.

Mr. Macfarland stated today that the

services of Mr. Drake. His work at the head of the new District department has been signally successful from the very first, despite the handicaps in the way of insuffi-cient appropriations and lack of employes. Mr. Drake's administration of affairs has been most favorably commented upon by the insurance press of the whole country. The local department has been looked upon as a model in its way and somewhat national in character. Mr. Drake's work in saving a Chicago company after a serious impairment to its capital has called forth hearty congratulations from the insurance

People.

The object of the conference between the Commissioner and the superintendent will be to see if some arrangement cannot be made by which Mr. Drake will remain, but it is said there is little prospect that the latter will change his mind, as the Commissioners are not in a position to guarantee him an increased salary. Mr. Drake accepted the office under the amended code, which fixed \$3,500 as the salary of the suwhich fixed \$3,000 as the salary of the su-perintendent of the insurance department. Congress appropriated only \$2,500 for the purpose. The Commissioners then urgently recommended that the additional \$1,000 be included in the general deficiency bill. The opponents of the provision contended that Congress in appropriating \$2,500 for the superintendent of insurance repealed the provision in the code that the salary should be \$3,500.

## RECEIVES HIS COMMISSION.

Mr. Macfarland to Serve Another Term as District Commissioner.

Commissioner Macfarland received this morning from President Roosevelt his commission as Commissioner of the District of Columbia, "for the term of three years from May 5, 1903," the Senate having confirmed him on Monday, upon the unanimous report of the committee on the District of Columbia on the nomination made Saturday evening. The commission is dated Monday, March 2, the day of confirmation. Commissioner Macfarland's commission from President McKinley was dated the second day of May, and took effect the 5th of May, but Commissioner Macfarland did not take the oath of office until the 9th of May, because that was the anniversary of the inauguration of his predecessor, Commissioner Wight. Under his new commission Mr. Macfarland will be expected to take the oath of office on the 5th of May. In the congratulations coming to him daily are many requests that he will continue to serve the District.

Studying Educational Methods. Prof. G. N. Grisham, principal of the Lincoln High School of Kansas City, Mo., has been sent east by the school board to study educational methods and processes. He will visit the schools of Washington, Balti-more, Philadelphia and Hampton. While in this city he is the guest of Prof. Kelly Miller of Howard University.

Jesse Marshall, colored, charged with the theft of a shovel from a cart belonging to the J. Maury Dove Coal Company, was assessed \$5 in the Police Court this morning. He will spend fifteen days in jail for non-

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OCCASIONAL BAIN.

Cloudy Tonight and Friday; Light, Variable Winds, Mostly Southerly. Forecast till 8 p.m. Friday-For the District of Columbia, Maryland and Virginia, cloudy tonight and Friday with occasional

Weather conditions and general forecast-The high that has covered the Atlantic coast districts for several days past is giv-ing way under the influence of a troughshaped depression that extends from eastern Texas northeastward to the lower lake region. An area of high pressure covers the Dakotas and Nebraska, and pressure continues low over the Pacific coast and the plateau region. A well-defined depression

appears this morning over Utah.

Rain has fallen in eastern Texas and Oklahoma, and thence northeastward to the lake region, including eastern New York. Rain has also fallen in the southern portion of the south Atlantic states, on the Pacific coast, and locally in the plateau and Rocky mountain regions. It is somewhat warmer in the upper Ohio

valley.
Temperatures are generally above the seasonal average in all districts, except the extreme northwest. Cloudy, unsettled weather with occasional rain will prevail in the greater part of the Washington forecast district during the next thirty-six hours. Important temperature changes are not

anticipated. winds along the middle Atlantic coast will be mostly light to fresh and variable; on the east gulf coast mostly light to fresh southeasterly Steamers departing today for European ports will have light easterly winds and oc-casional rains to the Grand Banks.

The following heavy precipitation (in inches) has been reported during the past twenty-four hours: St. Louis, 1.02; Los Angeles, 1.22: Memphis, 1.10. The rise in the Ohio river has reached Cairo, although the crest of the flood has not yet passed Cincinnati. The Mississippi at Memphis, after remaining stationary for nearly two days, has again begun to rise slowly. The rise also continues in the lower river with stages slightly above dan-

Records for Twenty-Four Hours. The following were the readings of the thermometer and barometer at the weather bureau for the twenty-four hours beginning at 2 p.m. yesterday: Thermometer-March 4, 4 p.m., 57; 8 p.m. 51; 12 midnight, 43. March 5, 4 a.m., 42; 8 a.m., 46; 12 noon, 55, 2 p.m., 61. 8 a.m., 46; 12 noon, 55, 2 p.m., 61.

Maximum, 61, at 2 p.m., March 5; minimum, 38, at 7 a.m., March 5.

Barometer—March 4, 4 p.m., 30.35; 8 p.m., 30.34; 12 midnight, 30.30. March 5, 4 a.m., STORAGE. Page 13 SUBURBAN PROPERTY. Page 19 30.21; 8 a.m., 30.16; noon, 31.13; 2 p.m.,

Condition of the Water. Temperature and condition of water at 8 a.m.: Great Falls-temperature, 44; condition, 6. Dalecarlia reservoir—temperature, 43; condition at north connection, 3; condition at south connection, 2. Georgetown distributing reservoir—temperature, 43; condition at influent gate house, 1; condition at effluent gate house, 1. Washington city reservoir-temperature, 32; condition at in fluent, 2; condition at effluent, 7.

Tide Table. Today-Low tide, 6:17 a.m. and 7:04 p.m.; high tide, 12:20 p.m. Tomorrow-Low tide, 7:11 a.m. and 8:00 p.m.; high tide, 12:38 a.m. and 1:12 p.m. The Sun and Moon. Today-Sun rises, 6:29 a.m.; sun sets, 5:55

.m. Moon sets, 12:35 a.m. tomorrow. Tomorrow-Sun rises, 6:28 a.m. The City Lights.

The city lights and naphtha lamps all lighted by thirty minutes after sunset; extinguishing begun one hour before sunrise. All arc and incandescent lamps lighted fifteen minutes after sunset and extinguished

forty-five minutes before sunrise.

## REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

Second street southeast between Virginia avenue and I street-Clarence F. Norment et ux. to John G. Campbell, lots 26, 27, 28, square 766; \$10. John G. Campbell to Sarah R. Hallam, lot 26, square 766; \$10. Same to Linnie F. Larkins, lot 27, square 766; \$10. New Hampshiire avenue and H street northwest-Fannie E. Wilhoite to Max Gould, lot 45, square 29; \$10.

Connecticut Avenue Heights-James J. Gordon et ux. to John G. Campbell, lot 47, block 2; \$10. John G. Campbell conveys same property to Clarence F. Norment; \$10. Washington Heights-George S. Cooper et ux. to Emma S. Barrie, lot 34, block 7; \$10. U street northwest between 17th and 18th streets—John M. Henderson to Joseph W. Harper, lot 180, square 151; \$10.

B street southeast between 12th and 13th streets—Elizabeth B. Healy et vir, A. A., to Patrick C. Holmes, lot 149, square 1015;

Corcoran street northwest between 17th and 18th streets-Charles P. Williams et ux. to Herbert J. Robinson, lot 108, square 155; \$10. Herbert J. Robinson conveys same property to J. Cassin Howard; \$10. . Reno—Reuben J. Smith et al., trustees, to

George F. Collins, lots 21 and 22, block 11; Garfield—Thomas Walker, trustee, to Geo. F. Collins, lot 60; \$110.
Support-George N. Beale et ux. to John R. Casper, part; \$10.

Half street southwest between M and N streets—Milton Ruby et ux. to William Ryan, lot 28, square 650; \$10.

Long Meadows—Julius A. Maedel, trustee, to George C. Gertman, lots 56, 57 and 58;

Chichester—Laura H. Guerdrum to George H. Guerdrum, lots 26 to 31, block 1; \$1,000. Bloomingdale—Thomas M. Haislip et ux. to Ida M. Brooks, lot 87, block 7; \$10. Twelfth street northwest between M and N streets—Trustees of Central Methodist Protestant Church to trustees of Second Sev. enth Day Adventist Church, part lot 35, square 281; \$10. Cleveland Park-Thomas E. Waggaman

et ux to John Sherman, part; \$10. Holmead Manor-William S. Minnix et ux. o Frederick W. Hinke, lot 76, block 45; \$10. Connecticut avenue Heights-Francis G. Newlands et ux, to Jessie M. Holton and arolyn Hough Arms, lots 10 and 11, block

Deaths in the District. The following deaths were reported at the health office during the twenty-four hours ending at noon today: Elizabeth H. Bazzell. 74 years; Mary O. Cross, 62 years; Martha Kissler, 62 years; Mary Brown, 60 years; Frederick Bebens, 59 years; William But-ler, 55 years; Margaret Harrison, 54 years; Ella M. Gillen, 49 years; John Buckner, 4: years; James Jordan, 32 years; Mary Mc-Carthy, 32 years; Annie Gray, 18 years; Fannie Walker, 4 years; Alfonso Griffith, 3 years; Sarah Hunter, 2 years; Helen M. Phillips, 1 year; Frances L. Walls, 2 months; Alexander Ardigo, 2 months.

Mr. MacDowell's Recital. Tomorrow afternoon at 4:15 o'clock Mr. Edward MacDowell will give a piano recital at the Columbia Theater. Mr. MacDowell stands at the head of American composers and a good portion of his program will be devoted to his own works. These will be his Keltic Sonata, a prelude and fugue, "A Wild Rose," and "To a Water Lily;" Czardas, "In Deep Woods" from his New England Idyls; Scotch poem and his Polonaise, Op. 46. Most of these are known to piano players and lovers of music, but it will be a source of great gratification to hear them interpreted by their brilliant author. Mr. MacDowell will also play a Saraband and Les Trois Mains, by Rameau; Grazioli's Tempo di Minuetto and Beethovin's Sonata, Op. 27, No. 2.

It has been some years since Mr. Mac It has been some years since Mr. Mac-Dowell was last heard in this city, and con-

large audience. Application Denied.

siderable interest has been excited in regard to the coming recital. It is hoped ond be-lieved by Mr. Philpitt, who brings Mr. Mac-

Dowell here, that he will he greeted by a

Acting upon the recommendation of Col. Biddle, the Engineer Commissioner, the District board has denied the application of Robert Stead for permission to erect four houses with bay windows on 8th street northwest near Florida avenue. The prolouses are but fifteen feet in v and projections are not allowed on such narrow frontages. Col. Biddle says the permit applied for would be in violation of the regulations and he sees no reason for changing the regulations.

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safety.

THE COURTS. Court of Appeals—Present, the chief justice, Mr. Justice Morris and Mr. Justice Shep-ard.

Mr. Justice Morris and Mr. Justice Shepard.

1243—Keely agt. Moore et al.; continued.

1258—Bokel Gwynn McKenney Company agt. Costello; placed at foot of call.

1142—Brown agt. Macfarland et al.; 1156, Todd agt. same; 1157, Lagninger agt. same; 1158, Mytinger agt. same; counsel for District of Columbia allowed ten days to file briefs on motions to tax costs.

1238—Wolf agt. District of Columbia; argument continued by Mr. E. H. Thomas and A. B. Duvall for appellee, and concluded by Mr. D. W. Baker for appellant. STORAGE CO. is excellently equip-

cluded by Mr. D. W. Baker for appellant. 1248—Lesh agt. Lesh; argued by Mr. T. L. Jeffords for appellant; no brief filed for the appenee.

1263—Preston agt. Siebert; decree affirmed with costs; opinion by Mr. Justice Morris. 1250-Cruit agt. Owen, executrix; judg-ment affirmed with costs; opinion by Mr. any point. Justice Shepard. 1247—Bark Shetland et al. agt. Johnson

al.; decree affirmed with costs; opinion by Mr. Justice Morris. 1200—Thompson agt. District of Columbia; judgment affirmed with costs; opinion by Mr. Justice Shepard. 1208-Bryan agt. Harr; motion for rehear

12:8-Wolff agt. District of Columbia; argument commenced by Mr. J. C. Gittings for appellant and continued by Mr. E. H. Thomas for appellee.

Patent appeal No. 205—Luger agt. Browning; motion for rehearing denied.

Patent appeal No. 212—Garrels agt. Freeman; do.

Equity Court No. 2-Justice Gould. Lynham agt. Lynham; dismissal of bill ordered. In re Conrad Pottes; waiver of accounting by committee of lunatic. Heiberger agt. Nairn; cause certified to Mr. Justice Barnard for hearing. In re lunacy of Mary B. Allen; waiver of accounting by committee of lunatic. Kohlenberg agt. Altemus; guardian ad litem for defe Kate R. Emmerich, appointed. Ralston agt. Kernan; rule as to receiver returna ble March 10. Chapman agt. Metcaif; pro confesso against certain defendants order ed. King agt. Kennedy; cause transferred to this court. Buchanan agt. Van Antwerp; appearance of absent defendants or-dered. McMahon agt. Burns; do. In re Thomas Grace; reference to auditor to state committee's account. Keese agt. Willlams; pro confesso against Charles H. Williams ordered. Yeoman agt. Yeoman; re-straining order discharged. Fisher agt. Fisher; pro confesso against defendant or-Heilberger agt. Nairn; guardian ad litem appointed.

Circuit Court No. 1—Chief Justice Bingham Traders' National Bank agt. Standard Butterine Company et al.; judgment by de fault. Lanham agt. Prentiss, administrator; on trial.

Circuit Court No. 2-Justice Clabaugh. Brooke agt. Compton; judgment against defendant for \$432.53. McManus agt. Brightwood Railway Company; on trial. Criminal Court No. 1-Justice Anderson. United States agt. Flavius Helm, assault

with dangerous weapon; on trial. Criminal Court No. 2-Justice Barnard. United States agt. Wm. Stewart, larceny verdict guilty of petit larceny. United States agt. Henry Schols, receiving stolen property; verdict guilty of receiving property less than \$35.

Probate Court—Justice Barnard. Estate of Elizabeth O'Brien; proof of publication. Estate of Abraham N. Hazen; certain notes marked desperate. Estate of Martha J. Smallwood; petition for reduc-tion of bond filed. In re Bertha Marsden; resignation of guardian filed. Estate of Elizabeth O'Brien; Alex. H. Bell appointed guardian; bond, \$5,000. Estate of Rose M. Nourse; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to James B. Nourse; bond, \$500. Estate of Mary A. Sherer; petition to sell judgment filed. In Sherer; petition to sell judgment filed. In re Robert, Anderson; inventory filed. Estate of Helen A. Wharton; letters of administration granted to John C. Poor; bond, \$1,000. Estate of George P. Browning; order for publication. Estate of Richard H. Townsend; order for publication. Estate of Margaret G. Morgan; do Estate of Margaret G. Morgan; do Estate of Townsend; order fof publication. Estate of Margaret G. Morgan; do. Estate of Teresa M. Osborne; will admitted to probate and letters testamentary granted to Joseph A. Burkart; bond, \$4,000. Estate of Chas. B. Osborne; Patrick F. McMahon application of the company of the compa pointed administrator d.b.n.; bond, \$8,000. Estate of Henrietta Schoffield; inventory filed. Estate of Rosa M. Nourse; will

## COST HIM FIFTY DOLLARS.

Special Officer Hoover Fined for Carry-

ing a Revolver. Carrying a loaded revolver was the charge upon which Jacob D. Hoover was arraigned in the Police Court this morning. He is a special policeman in the employ of the health department, his particular duty being to watch houses that are quarantined. Policeman Harry Warren informed the court that he arrested Hoover at 7th and E streets yesterday because he was helplessly intoxicated. When the station was reached, the witness stated, the prisoner was found to be wearing the badge of a special officer, and he had a loaded

revolver in his pocket. He was directed to prosecute the case.

The defendant told Judge Scott that he is under the directions of Dr. Fowler, who has charge of the smallpox service. So far as he understood it his oath is the same as that of the members of the regu-lar police force. He said he had been in-structed that he had a right to arm himself the same as regular officers.

"I ony carry it when I am on duty," he said, "and I was on my way home yesterday when I was arrested.' Yesterday, he said, he drank some ginger brandy because he was cold. He said he was not in the habit of drinking, and yesterday was the first time he had been Judge Scott said he could see no reason

why the officer should carry a revolver. He would certainly not be justified in using a weapon in connection with his duty. "We are sometimes subjected to abuse," said the defendant.

"Abuse," the court said, "will not justify the use of a weapon." In conclusion, the court said there was nothing to show that the special policeman had any right to carry the weapon, and the law would have to be executed. The lowest fine, \$50, was imposed, and the court suspended execution of sentence by taking the defendant's personal bonds. Th destruction of the revolver was ordered.

Florida-Atlantic Coast Line's famous trains leave Washington 3:16 p.m. 8:10 p.m. Office, 601 Pennsylvania avenue -Advertisement.

## Marriage Licenses.

Marriage licenses were issued today to the White-David S. Jessop and Elizabeth Sheeler, both of Baltimore, Md.; Floyd F.

Reid and Edith Beach, both of Fairfax county, Va.; Richard Henderson and Nettie Hardy; William B. Beavers and Orra Can-ner, both of Loudoun county, Va.; James E. Nokes and Minnie B. Levch; George Henderson and Mary E. Cunningham.
Colored—Frank Conway and Bessie Johnson, both of King George county, Va.; John Corbin and Frances Travis.

New Fast Ferryboat, in Prospect. It is reported along the river front that Mr. Bert G. Faulhaber of New York, who has the interests of the New York owners of the ferry line between this city and Alexandria in charge, is negotiating for the purchase a fast double-end ferryboat, to take the place of the steamer Belle Haven on the route, and she will be in service here by the end of this month. The Belle Haven is now out of service, and is likely to remain so, and there is but one boat, the steamer Columbia, on the route. The boat which the ferry line will purchase is said to be one that was bought by the govern-ment during the war with Spain and which was afterward sold to parties in Norfolk.

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